

Dec 7/23

HEATH HILL  
BROOKLINE

Mass

My dear Mr. Lummis

Ned is much interested by your letter about "The Spanish Songs from California" & will you kindly lend us 10 copies?

I have filled out the blank & enclose it. Yours sincerely

Ellen F. Atherton  
Mrs Edw. W. Atherton

December 23, 1923.

**Mrs. Edward M. Atkinson,** Heath Hill,  
Brookline, Mass.

My dear Mrs. Atkinson:

Yours of December 7th has just reached me, and to save time I have ordered the printers in San Francisco to ship 10 copies to you direct. They are very careful shippers and I feel sure the Books will reach you in good condition.

I feel sure also that you and Mr. Atkinson will both be pleased with the format of the Book. I am delighted with the Dear Old Songs. It is a very great happiness to me to be able to at last save them, not only for the folklorist, but in shape for use by my countrymen.

With all good wishes to you both for Christmas and the New Year.

New Year, and so good morning to all our friends.  
I am sending you my best regards and the best of luck (Good Health)  
every year and sincerely yours, Always Sincerely Yours,

“...*am omnia sed et omnes*” *antistitio* *in* *causa* *restitutionis*

I am sure you will be interested to see what I have to say about the new year.

*Ensatia cyanea*

HEATH HILL  
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Jan. 17 -  
1924

My dear Mr. Lummis

Perhaps I should have sent the enclosed check with my request for the 15 copies of "Old Spanish Songs"? In any case please excuse this delay, it had slipped my mind & also I had thought I might receive a memo.

We are enjoying the  
songs, as are our  
friends & are grateful  
to you for preserving  
them. Of this  
amount, \$15.00, does  
not cover everything  
kindly let me  
know? otherwise  
this affects us  
and over.

Sincerely yours  
Ellen F. Atkinson

Mrs Edw. W. Atkinson